

AND FIRE ARE POLAND'S LIFE

Speaks at Ninth Street
Synagogue, Telling of Situation
in Europe.

"Hunger, various epidemics, sickness, starvation, bodies covered with rags, dried out faces, deaths from eating poisonous grasses and children beggars, orphans without identification lying in the streets with no protection, this is the picture of life of the poor in Poland all during the war." Morey Pollock, who three weeks ago came to Rock Island after years of struggle in Poland, said in a talk at the B'nai B'rith synagogue, Ninth street and Fifth avenue, last evening. The synagogue was filled with men and women, many of whom have family members and relatives living in Poland today.

Mr. Pollock gave what he termed "the living truths of the conditions in Poland and Prussia, as he saw them and through which he lived. The talk was of the horrible conditions in Poland since the invasion of the German armies. He said:

Slaves for Two Years.

"The people who have been slaves for the last two years under the Polish regime have been punished, robbed and murdered. I don't have words enough to explain the murderous treatment that the Polish people are dealing out. No horrible picture can picture what the Jewish people have lived through in the last few months in Poland. In the city of Bylostok thousands have been killed; in Groden the Poles have burned half the city and many Jewish women were compelled to see the way their own husbands were killed. In Sachanof, Groden Geburney, a small village, 36 women were murdered and homes robbed. The suffering in Pinsk and surrounding cities has been one of the worst slaughtering yet known. This is going on all the time in Poland."

Mr. Pollock appealed for relief. Immediately after his talk, Louis Andich, the presiding officer, and a relative of Pollock, appointed Robert Omansky, Samuel Slatowdsky, Harry Baker and Charles Brady as a committee to launch a campaign to collect money and clothing for the stricken people. They will hold a meeting this week to organize their plans.

RENEW MINDS IS LESSON OF MISS MILLAR

Woman Evangelist Tells Audience
at Y, That Christ Should Rule
the Heart.

Renew the mind so that the proper attitude toward all fellow-men can be taken, Miss Ellnor Stafford Miller, Australian lecturer, who is known as the woman Billy Sunday, said in a talk yesterday afternoon at the gymnasium of the Rock Island Y. M. C. A. The gym was nearly filled with young men and women.

Miss Miller's talk was on practical religion and the magna charta of the Christian faith. She said that Christ should rule in the heart. In this way the mind may be renewed and good fellowship reign in the world. She touched on every phase of life and took as example the gymnasium work done in the Y. M. C. A., saying that if an athlete misses his mark he should not give up, but try it over again.

The Memorial Christian choir assisted on the program. Miss Miller will this evening begin her week of lectures at the Broadway Presbyterian church and next week at the First Baptist church. Next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock she will again speak at the Y. M. C. A., this time on the American and Australian soldiers during the war.

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NOTED VISITORS AT R. I. ARSENAL



Thomas R. Marshall,
Vice President of the United States.

Vice President Thomas R. and Mrs. Marshall arrived in Moline at 2:06 this afternoon, but because of the rain the demonstration which was planned was not carried out. Mr. and Mrs. Marshall were met by 10 prominent Moline men and were taken for an inspection tour through Rock Island arsenal.

A public reception was to be held at 4:30 this afternoon at the Moline Commercial club at which prominent tri-city people were to receive. The Moline After-Dinner club will hold a banquet this evening at the Moline club at which Mr. Marshall will be the speaker.

A private reception for Mrs. Marshall will be given this evening at the home of William Butterworth, president of the Moline Plow company.

LIQUOR BLAMED FOR ACCIDENTS

Two automobile accidents occurred in Rock Island late Sunday afternoon that were the result of one driver in each case being under the influence of liquor, according to the police.

No one was hurt in either accident, but damage to the cars was considerable. At 5:30 o'clock in the evening Victor Poma, 426 Eighth street, steered his machine into a car belonging to O. J. Danielson, 344 Second street, Moline.

The collision was on Fifth avenue and Thirty-fourth street. Danielson was driving east and Poma was going west. The latter swerved his car across the street behind a street car and the two machines crashed.

Poma was said to have been intoxicated and he was taken to the police station and placed in a cell. This morning he was arraigned before Magistrate D. J. Cleland in police court and fined \$5 on a charge of careless driving and promised the court that he would pay \$75 damage to Danielson's car.

At 6 o'clock Sunday evening there was a collision on the south end of the viaduct leading to the Rock Island arsenal. A. W. Holland, 1321 Judson street, Davenport, was driving homeward and his car was crashed into from behind by an auto driven by Edward Bramble, 1605 1/2 Second avenue, Rock Island.

Bramble was arrested and on being arraigned in police court this morning was fined \$5 on a charge of careless driving and made a promise that he would settle for damages to Holland's car, which was estimated at between \$50 and \$75.

Magistrate Cleland told both defendants that under the law their state automobile licenses could be revoked for driving while under the influence of liquor, and that such procedure would be carried out on a second arrest.

LAY OFF TWO OF MOTORCYCLE MEN AS FUNDS SLUMP

Due to a lack of sufficient funds in the city treasury a lay-off of two members of the police department became necessary. Saturday afternoon Police Chief Tom Cox was compelled to release Motorcycle Officers D. C. Cox and William LaFrenz.

Cox had been employed since spring as a speed cop. LaFrenz had served as one of the two motorcycle patrolmen, patrolling the south part of the city with motorcycles and pulling police boxes the same as foot patrolmen.

Both of the men proved exceptionally efficient, and have gained a good record on the department. Chief Cox announced today that he had no other alternative than to let the men go, now that the weather is such that motorcycle work is handicapped, and the city would not be justified in view of funds at hand, to keep the men on throughout the winter.

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MRS. SHARPE HEAD VISITING NURSES BOARD

Association Holds Annual Meeting
and Hear Reports on Baby
Clinic Work.

Mrs. C. E. Sharpe was elected president of the Visiting Nurse association at the annual meeting this morning held in the visiting nurse room, No. 54, in the State Bank building. She succeeds Mrs. C. O. Woodruff in the office.

Other officers chosen for the year were: Vice president—Mrs. C. O. Woodruff. Secretary—Miss Cora Gaetjer. Treasurer—Mrs. I. S. White, re-elected.

Board of directors—Mrs. A. Mosenfelder, Mrs. S. S. Davis, Mrs. Hiram Cable, Mrs. T. A. Murphy, Miss Carrie Gregg, Mrs. Louisa Copp, Mrs. James Conner, Mrs. Devere Simonson, Mrs. Robert Wagner, Mrs. H. Casteel, Mrs. H. D. Mack and Mrs. Walter Rosenfeld.

Following is the report of the infant welfare work given at the meeting: The association opened its first infant welfare clinic Dec. 12, 1919, at St. Anthony's hospital, with Dr. A. N. Mueller in charge, assisted by Miss Alice Thompson and Mrs. J. M. Cozad. Refreshments were served by the members of the service circle, King's Daughters.

The clinic is held every Friday afternoon from 3 to 6 o'clock. There were 77 babies admitted to the clinic during the year. Three left town, one died and 73 remain. There were 110 calls made in the interest of the work during the year. Miss Ann Dixon was appointed infant welfare nurse on Aug. 1, to succeed Mrs. Cozad. Donations of supplies were made by Miss Dorothy McCabe's Sunday school class, the City Steam laundry and Parker's laundry.

Other business transacted at the meeting this morning was of a routine nature. The next meeting will be held Dec. 13 in the nurse room.

Personal Points

Mr. and Mrs. Ben De Pover of 1322 Forty-fourth street, announce the arrival of twin girls, on Nov. 4.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Gamble of Milan returned last night from a week in Chicago.

Harold Keyes, Y. M. C. A., left early this morning for Precept where he is to take the consistory degree in the Masonic order.

Mr. and Mrs. T. C. Hensley of 1226 Twelfth street, are the parents of a son born Saturday evening at St. Anthony's hospital.

Miss Julia Hansen of 2705 Eleventh avenue, has returned to her home from the Lutheran hospital where she underwent a serious operation Oct. 8. She is getting along very nicely.

Dr. and Mrs. Ralph Dart have gone to Peoria to attend the ceremonies of the Masonic shrine and consistory.

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Mrs. Ruth Fernandez...Rock Island
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ESCAPES DEATH BY CLIMBING AS DRAW OPENS

Dashing through the closed gates of the draw span of the Rock Island bridge as it was swinging open to permit a boat to pass through, a driver of a Ford car narrowly escaped death at 6:30 this morning when, as he realized his inability to stop, he stepped on her and broke through the gates in time to get on the span before it swung wide, leading a chasm to the river below.

The remnants of the wrecked gates were carried on the hood of his car for nearly fifty feet before the machine was brought to a stop on the span as it was swinging wide.

The machine was driven by Leonard Knochenmus of Davenport. Although not externally injured, Knochenmus complained of pains in the chest after the accident. He was not taken to the hospital.

LOCAL MASONS GO TO PEORIA; TAKE DEGREES

Large Delegation to Take Shrine
and Consistory Work at
Peoria This Week.

About one hundred twenty-five candidates from Rock Island, Moline and East Moline will receive work at the ceremonies of the Masonic shrine and consistory at Peoria this week.

Delegations of candidates and members of the two degree organizations left this noon and many more are planning to leave tonight, tomorrow and throughout the remainder of the week.

Work leading to the 32nd degree in the consistory begins tomorrow morning and will be completed Thursday night. Friday morning the Shriners will hold forth and will stage two ceremonies on Friday and Saturday.

A class estimated to be at least 1,300 strong, including 75 from this vicinity, will receive the Shrine work and 500 candidates, including nearly half a hundred from Rock Island, Moline and East Moline, will receive the consistory degree.

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CABLE NAMED TO DIRECT RED CROSS DRIVE

Chairman Murphy of Rock Island
Branch Makes Arrangements
for Campaign.

T. A. Murphy, chairman of the Rock Island branch of the Red Cross, announces the appointment of H. B. Cable as director for the 1920 Red Cross membership drive.

It is stated that the drive of this year will be carried out along lines similar to those put in force last year. There will be no house to house canvass as experienced during the war period. Mr. Cable stated that most of the work this year would be handled through membership booths which would be located in the various banks, department stores and other places of congregation.

"The campaign proper will open up on Saturday afternoon, Nov. 13, and will continue through until the evening of Wednesday, Nov. 17, 1920. Definite information as to the location of the booths and those who are to work during the campaign will be announced later in the week," stated Mr. Cable.

The need for continuing the Rock Island chapter of Red Cross as an active institution is clearly set forth in a review of the work which has been accomplished during the past year.

Has Been Effective.
The Rock Island chapter of Red Cross developed during the war period a great service to the nation and in the opinion of all those who have considered the matter seriously, an organization so capable of meeting any kind of an emergency should be continued indefinitely.

During the past year the home service section of the Red Cross expended for relief in behalf of soldiers and sailors, and the families of same, a total of \$1,164.34. One of the biggest things accomplished during the war was the establishment of a confidential exchange or registration bureau which was organized in behalf of charitable organizations operating throughout the city.

City Briefs

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Obituary

Mrs. Celeste Thompson.
News has been received by friends in Rock Island of the sudden death last week at her home, 4512 McPherson avenue, St. Louis, of Mrs. Celeste de Laureau Thompson, in her 52nd year. Mrs. Thompson was the mother of Mrs. J. P. Comery, formerly of Rock Island, now of New York.

The St. Louis Star, speaking of her death, says:
"Mrs. Thompson was born on her father's plantation in Guadalupe, West Indies, Sept. 10, 1839. She came to St. Louis in 1845 and was married in 1866 to Malcot Thompson. He died in 1881."

"Mrs. Thompson was the mother of Zerlina de Malcot Thompson, Mrs. J. P. Comery of New York, Sister Celeste of the Sacred Heart order, Mrs. Russell Stanhope, who died in 1916, and John Thompson."

Paul A. Applequist, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. L. Applequist of 709 Third avenue, died at Mercy hospital in Denver, Colo., yesterday afternoon after a few days' illness with pneumonia. Mr. Applequist lived in Rock Island until nine years ago.

Paul Applequist was born in Rock Island, Jan. 17, 1882. He was a molder by trade. Mr. Applequist left Rock Island nine years ago to be a guard at the Joliet penitentiary, where he remained three years. Six years ago he left for Golden, Colo., to make his home. He had never married.

Surviving are the parents, two brothers, Herman and Julius of Rock Island, and two sisters, Mrs. Phil Hagen, Grinnell, Iowa, and Mrs. Rene De Voorde of East Moline. He was a member of the Trinity Episcopal church. Funeral arrangements will be announced later.

B. E. Penneck.
Following an illness of a week's duration, Bray Edward Penneck, a prominent young man of Davenport, died Thursday night at 10:30 o'clock at St. Luke's hospital.

He was born in Pike county, Ill., on Nov. 26, 1885, at which place he received his education and in 1903 he moved to Scott county, shortly after making Davenport his place of residence.

He was united in marriage in November of 1909 to Hazel Saline Edwards and was a member of St. John's Methodist church and Cedar Camp of the Modern Woodmen of America.

The deceased is survived by his wife, his father, Ira Penneck, and two sisters, Mrs. Margaret Robinson of Davenport, Mrs. Alvira M. Moore of Gooding, Idaho; three brothers, John H. of Wichita, Kan.; David J. and Raymond of Davenport and by one daughter, Mildred Carolyn.

The funeral services were held Sunday.

Obituary

BODY OF LOCAL YOUTH ARRIVES FROM OVERSEAS

Remains of George B. Winter, Who
Died in Luxembourg, Reaches
New York Sunday.

Mrs. B. Winter, 1505 Thirty-seventh street, has been advised of the arrival in New York Sunday of the body of her son, George B. Winter, who died of meningitis in Luxembourg in April, 1919, while serving with the American forces. George was 24 years of age.

It is expected the remains will reach Rock Island during the present week. Funeral arrangements will be deferred until it is known definitely when the body will arrive in the city. It is probable that there will be a military funeral to honor the young Rock Islander.

NO RESERVATIONS OF CONCERT SEATS

The Tri-City Symphony Orchestra association announce that there will be no reservations of seats for the opening Rock Island concert this evening, to be held at Augustana college gymnasium. No reservations were made last year, but numerous inquiries prompted this announcement today.

The first arriving this evening will have the choice of seats, but the acoustics in the gymnasium are practically perfect so that the concert can be heard from any part of the house. For the convenience of those who hesitate to climb the long flight of steps, as well as for those who have cars parked west of the college, the library will be open for use as a thoroughfare.

KIWANIS CLUB TO HELP MAKE XMAS PRESENT

The Kiwanis club will spend an evening at the Rock Island Y. M. C. A. making Christmas gifts for the poor children of Rock Island. The club agreed to aid the Y. M. C. A. in its work of manufacturing the gifts instead of raising money to buy them at a meeting held this noon at the Y. M. C. A. Miss Mary E. Adkins, secretary of the Y. M. C. A., addressed the men.

The club instructed J. F. Murphy of the public forum committee to voice the sentiment of the club in favor of the state police bill, which provides for a constabulary on the order of that in Pennsylvania. E. Streiter on behalf of the Boy Scouts thanked the Kiwanians for their aid in the recent Boy Scout campaign for money.

J. A. Murran won the attendance prize donated by Glen Burgston.

LAD IS STRUCK BY TOURING CAR

George Bontseele, 7 Years Old, Is
Jured About Face and
Foot in Accident.

George Bontseele, age 7 years, was cut about the nose and lip and suffered a badly injured foot at 5:30 yesterday afternoon when he was run down by a touring car as he attempted to cross the street at Fifth avenue on Ninth street.

There had been a stream of cars coming from the Independent-Saley football game, going north at the time. George attempted to avoid the machines, but was unable to dodge the car driven by Oscar Boyd, Eleventh avenue and Twenty-fifth street. He was thrown to the ground as the car came to a stop.

The lad was removed to his home at 420 Fifth street, where he was attended by Dr. H. E. Beck of Moline. His wounds are not serious, although he is badly injured.

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